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Fourth Monday of February. Third Monday of May. Fourth Monday of September.

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Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:00 a. m.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE, No. 369, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building. CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274 G. A. R. Meets 1st Tuesday afternoon of each month at 3 o'clock.

TRIED TO END LIFE.

Negro Sentenced to Electro-cution Slashes His Throat.

Genesee Courtroom Scene of Desperate Attempt of Convicted Man to End His Life—Prisoner Draws Razor From Handkerchief Before Deputy Sheriffs Could Interfere and Saws Away at His Throat—Other News Items of General Interest.

Jim Williams, a negro, when sentenced to death in Livingston county supreme court at Genesee Saturday night for the murder of James Duffy of Honeoye Falls leaped from his chair, drew a razor blade from his handkerchief, and cut his throat before deputies could interfere.

The negro, however, dodged backward, dropped on his back and sawed at his throat with the blade. Before the weapon could be taken from him he was covered with blood.

LIGHTNING KILLS MAN

Norwalk, O., Visited by a Terrific Electrical Storm.

One man was killed and three others injured at Norwalk, O., by lightning, small buildings blown from their foundations, many large trees uprooted and blown down, together telephone and telegraph poles all over the city for about an hour Sunday afternoon.

NEW POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS

Postmaster General Will Increase System by 150 Additional Offices Each Week.

It is the present intention of the postoffice department to establish a postal savings depository in the city of New York on July 1.

Black Hand Firebugs.

Sheriff Gooding of Canandaigua, N. Y., made a journey to Bristol, in response to a request from the town board to conduct an investigation into the burning of the Ganayard Hill school house and the subsequent writing of Black Hand letters to prominent citizens who undertook an investigation.

Has Broken Arm.

Leah Brown, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown of Danaville, N. Y., fell on the sidewalk, which was of wood and was made slippery by sprinkling, and broke her collar bone.

JOHN BIGELOW

Famous Author and Diplomat Is Reported Seriously Ill.



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NEGRO 'MOSES' A PAUPER

Harriet Tubman, Who Piloted Hundreds of Slaves to Freedom, Sent to Home She Founded.

Harriet Tubman, a negro woman who piloted over 400 slaves to freedom before the Civil war and was befriended by Lincoln, Seward, Garrison, Wendell Phillips and John Brown, was Friday taken to the Harriet Tubman home for the penniless at Auburn.

SETS FIRE TO GIRL'S DRESS

Boys Apply Torch While She Is Going to First Communion.

Minnie Butler, 12 years of age, of Bates street, Hazlewood, Pa., in the criminal court, related to Judge John D. Shaffer how Andrew Tomka and Stephen Misic, both of whom are 4 years old, ran up behind her last Sunday while on her way to St. Agnes' Catholic church to make her first communion, and applied a torch to her veil and dress.

Batavia Diamond Robbery.

Austin & Prescott, jewelers and diamond merchants of Batavia, N. Y., were victims of a smooth stranger who succeeded in getting away with five diamond rings valued at upwards of \$600.

Dunkirk Excited by Box Kite.

There was considerable excitement at Dunkirk, N. Y., about midnight Friday night over the report that an airship had been seen flying through the clouds over Dunkirk and then sank in the lake.

Red Lopez Reported Executed.

News from Douglas Ariz., and Cananea, Mex., unconfirmed, says Red Lopez, who led the attack on Agua Prieta, Sonora, and then deserted his men, was later convicted by a rebel court martial and has been executed.

Arrest 21 For Treating.

Saloon men from all parts of the city of Tacoma, Wash., were backed at the police station when seven detectives made 21 arrests for alleged violation of the city's anti-treating ordinance, which prohibits treating in saloons.

Nye Acquitted of Bribery Charge.

The state of Ohio last week Thursday lost the first of the legislative bribery cases when Representative George B. Nye was acquitted by a jury of soliciting a \$500 bribe from State Supervisor of Public Printing E. A. Crawford April 18.

Fourth Death in Month.

The fourth death from illuminating gas in Binghamton within a month occurred Saturday when Oblo Lown, 55 years old, was found dead, the room filled with the suffocating gas. A gas jet over his bed was found partly turned on.

MINERS' CLOSE CALL.

Two Were Caught Behind a Fallen Mass of Rock.

For Two Days the Entombed Men Labored Desperately to Escape From Their Living Tomb, and by Clever Work Succeeded in Reaching the Bottom of an Old Cave Hole and From There to Safety—Mines Officials Believed They Were Crushed to Death.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., June 6.—Two mine workers entombed in the Bar-num mine of the Pennsylvania Coal company at Pittston for the past two days dug their way out and saved their lives early this morning after a desperate struggle.

They are Kohn Welsh and his laborer, Mike Sobel. They were at work when a mass of rock fell behind them, cutting off their way to the main gangway and the bottom of the shaft.

Welsh, a clever miner, saw there was no hope of escaping through the rock, but thought there was a chance by digging from the face of the tunnel to reach the bottom of an old cave hole, which he knew existed there.

JOHN BIGELOW ILL

Aged Author and Diplomat Is Stricken With Intestinal Trouble.

Highland Falls, N. Y., June 6.—John Bigelow, the author and diplomat, now in his 94th year, was stricken with intestinal trouble last Wednesday night and his doctor says that his recovery, of which he has little hopes, depends entirely upon the vitality of the patient, which at present is very low.

POLICE ARREST SUSPECT

Thought to Be "Peter, the Painter," Who Killed Several Policemen in London.

Manila, June 6.—A man who arrived here from Singapore on the steamship Proteus and who is suspected of being "Peter, the Painter," the leader of murderers who killed several policemen in London, is being detained.

ALASKAN GOLD STRIKE

Miners Stamping From Fairbanks to Indian Creek.

Fairbanks, Alaska, June 6.—A gold strike is reported to have been made on Indian creek, a tributary of the Koyukuk river, three hundred miles up the stream. Pay earth has been struck in two places. Miners are stamping from here.

JOHN D. MAY COMPLAIN

His Assessment of Property in Tarrytown Has Been Raised \$50,000.

Tarrytown, N. Y., June 6.—Today is grievance day in North Tarrytown and it is possible that John D. Rockefeller may enter a complaint as his assessment has been raised \$50,000. The roll this year amounts to \$4,000,000 an increase of \$100,000 over last year.

One Better.

First Suburbanite—We've got a baby grand in our house. Second Dittow—We can get you one better. We've got a grand baby in ours.—Baltimore American.

Promoted.

"They're beginning to put on airs." "Is that so?" "Yes; their washwoman is now a laundress."—Detroit Free Press.

Patience Is Bitter, but Its Fruit Is Sweet.—Rousseau.

DRUNKEN MAN KILLED

Staggered in Front of Auto and Was Run Down—One Occupant Hurt.

Paris, June 6.—Mr. and Mrs. R. Livingston Beerkmann of New York met with an auto accident while motoring near Chartres yesterday. They were driving a 60-horsepower car when the chauffeur suddenly saw a drunken man stagger across the road.

The chauffeur sounded his horn vigorously, but the man staggered right in front of the machine and was killed on the spot.

The chauffeur had tried to swerve the machine out of the man's way and it was thrown into a ditch.

Mrs. Beerkmann, who before her marriage was Eleanor N. Tomas, was driving a 60-horsepower car when the chauffeur suddenly saw a drunken man stagger across the road.

Mr. Beerkmann sustained a compound fracture of the arm and was injured about the head. The chauffeur was not injured.

ELECTRICAL STORMS SWEEP OVER INDIANA

Two People Killed and Several Others Badly Injured.

Indianapolis, June 6.—Rain, hail and electrical storms swept Indiana yesterday, doing great damage to out-houses and crops. John K. Power, a wealthy farmer of this county, was killed by lightning.

At Lyons, Mrs. Oscar Keller was instantly killed by lightning while feeding chickens in her yard. Mrs. W. S. Shryver of Fort Wayne had a hymn book struck from her hand and her hand blackened by a bolt that struck Trinity church.

At Anderson nearly a hundred persons were shocked in buildings of steel construction, the lightning seemingly scattering and affecting several such buildings. In some sections whole orchards were robbed of fruit and leaves by hail.

HEARINGS ARE CLOSED

Preliminary Vote on Reciprocity Bill Will Take Place Tomorrow.

Washington, June 6.—The hearings before the senate finance committee on Canadian reciprocity formally closed yesterday afternoon, preliminary to a vote tomorrow.

The senate at Albany passed the Jackson bill providing for a mandatory three-platoon police system in first and second class cities of the state; the bill now goes to the governor.

WANTED TO REBUKE TAFT

Demented Young Man Decided to Reprimand Him For Causing Mexican War.

Utica, June 6.—A young man, in a rather excited mood, hurried into the Western Union office here and announced that he wanted to send a message to President Taft.

He said he wanted to rebuke the president for causing the recent rebellion in Mexico and he had decided to reprimand him by wire. The police were summoned.

The man, who had nearly \$200 in his pockets, gave his name as Henry Cronkrite, aged 26, a knitter. It was apparent that his mind was oppressed with delusions and he was sent to the general hospital, where he became violent.

Moving Picture Factory Burned.

New York, June 6.—A fire destroyed the studio and factory of the Powers Moving Picture company in the Bronx. The flames spread to two houses before the fire department succeeded in extinguishing the flames.

One of the girl employes who was polishing negatives on the second floor of the factory was slightly burned, but no one else was hurt. The damage was estimated at more than \$150,000.

Buffalo Provision Market.

WHEAT—No. 1 northern, carloads, \$1.05 1/2; No. 2 red, 97c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 59 1/2c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 3 yellow, 58 1/2c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 41 1/2c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 3 white, 40 1/2c.

EGGS—State, selected white, 19c.

CHEESE—Good to choice, new, 9 1/2c.

POTATOES—White, choice to fancy, per bu., 80c.

Eat Buffalo Livestock Market. CATTLE—Prime steers, \$6.30 @ 6.45; 1,200 to 1,400 lb. steers, \$5.50 @ 5.60; choice fat cows, \$5.00 @ 5.35;

CHOICE HOGS—\$6.00 @ 6.10; common hogs, \$5.75 @ 6.35; choice veals, \$8.25 @ 8.50; fair to good, \$7.50 @ 8.00.

VEAL—Light Yorkers, \$6.25 @ 6.35; heavy hogs, \$6.20 @ 6.35; pigs, \$6.25 @ 6.30.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Chopped choice lambs, \$6.50 @ 7.00; mixed sheep, \$3.90 @ 4.25.

SHORTER NEWS ITEMS

Pithy Paragraphs that Chronicle the Week's Doing.

Long Dispatches From Various Parts of the World Shorn of Their Padding and Only Facts Given in as Few Words as Possible For the Benefit of the Hurried Reader.

Wednesday.

It was announced at Fall River, Mass., that President Taft would visit that city the third week in June.

The house of lords passed the second reading of the veto bill, which will not reappear until after the coronation.

Wall street, while surprised at the terms of the tobacco decision, gave no indication of alarm; the market had been dull all day.

Nine persons lost their lives and a score were injured in a head-on collision between two fast trains of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, near McCook, Neb.

Japan and Russia expressed willingness to share in the \$50,000,000 loan to China, now apportioned equally to America, England, France and Germany; a diplomatic clash is considered possible.

Thursday.

Four persons were killed in a hotel fire at Silverton, B. C.

An American fishing schooner was confiscated to the British government by the Canadian court for fishing within the Canadian limit.

A statement by William J. Bryan, criticizing their attitude on revision of the wool schedule, created great indignation among Democratic leaders in the house.

London subscriptions for the \$12,000,000 bond issue of the Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation company were closed within an hour, with 1 1/2 per cent premium offered.

Operating officials of the tobacco trust's large factories at Richmond and other tobacco men viewed the supreme court decision with little concern as far as its effect on business was concerned.

Friday.

The Novoe Vremya of St. Petersburg scored Russian diplomacy as having been backward for decades.

Seven persons were killed and a score injured by a terrific storm that swept over Cleveland and vicinity.

The coroner's jury ruled that Sir W. S. Gilbert died of syncope while trying to rescue a woman bather who had gone beyond her depth.

Allen and Graham, representatives of the National Grange, told the senate finance committee of their work against the Canadian reciprocity agreement.

The senate at Albany passed the Jackson bill providing for a mandatory three-platoon police system in first and second class cities of the state; the bill now goes to the governor.

Saturday.

The National Liberal club gave a dinner to Andrew Carnegie in London, in recognition of his peace crusade.

The rebellious Arabs in Assyr captured Abha, the capital, and made prisoners of 3,000 troops composing the garrison.

One hundred and twenty soldiers were killed or wounded by an explosion in Fortress La Loma, Managua, Nicaragua.

Ex-Judge E. H. Gary, testifying before the house steel investigating committee, denied that he was planning a worldwide combination of steel interests.

The wool bill prepared by the ways and means committee was presented to the house Democratic caucus and led to a bitter fight; it makes reductions of from one-half to two-thirds in all wool duties.

Monday.

Pumps which lowered water in the cofferdam fifteen inches revealed part of the wreck of the Maine.

Judge Gary must again appear before the house steel committee this time in New York city, members decide.

Many persons of prominence stricken from list of persons invited to meet King George.

Eight thousand insurgent troops are mobilized in the Mexican capital to protect General Madero.

Almost all of \$200,000,000 received from the sale of church property in France, and which was expected to accrue to state, has vanished.

Tuesday.

A woman was killed and her sister fatally injured in an automobile accident near Worcester, Mass.

John Hays Hammond, special American ambassador to King George for the coronation, arrived in London.

Equestrian statue and memorial monument to Victor Emmanuel II, costing \$20,000,000, was dedicated in Rome.

It is reported from Peking that China is desirous of modifying the provisions of the 20-year treaty with Russia of 1881; this may affect Japanese interests.

Vedrine, winner of the Paris-Madrid airplane race, announced himself a starter in the Paris-Rome-Turin contest; he expects to reach Rome from Paris in one day.

WRITS OF ERROR GRANTED

Convicted Wireless Telegraph Officials Will Now Appeal to U. S. Circuit Court.

New York, June 6.—Writs of error for appeal to the United States circuit court on behalf of Colonel Christopher C. Wilson and the other officials of the United Wireless Telegraph company, who were convicted recently of misuse of the mails in connection with the sale of wireless stock were allowed by Judge Lacombe of the circuit court.

Arthur M. King, attorney for Colonel Wilson, will apply today in the circuit court of appeals on behalf of the defendants for their release on bail pending the appeal.

The continued heat has damaged crops and flowers. Farmers all over Illinois and Missouri are praying for rain, but they fear that it is too late to save the small fruits.

At Council Bluffs, Ia., the heat warped street car rails out of shape.

BELASCO'S DAUGHTER DIES

Death Was Caused by Tuberculosis of the Bowels.

Colorado Springs, Colo., June 6.—Mrs. William Elliot, formerly Miss Augusta, only daughter of David and Mrs. Belasco, the former playwright and author of New York, died here of tuberculosis of the bowels.

She was married in New York last January.

Two months ago she left New York for North Carolina on advice of her physician. She grew worse and left for Colorado Springs, where she arrived two weeks ago, accompanied by her husband and father. The relatives will leave for interment in New York.

HEAT CAUSES TWO DEATHS IN ST LOUIS

High School Pupils Go on a Hot Weather Strike.

St. Louis, June 6.—Two deaths occurred here yesterday from the heat, which reached 95, two degrees lower than Sunday, which was the highest ever recorded here so early in the summer.

Stigmund Bohne, 55, died at the city hospital after being prostrated at his home.

An Italian laborer, while at work on the terminal tracks at Channing avenue at noon, fell dead. Several other people were overcome.

Two hundred East St. Louis high school pupils went on a hot weather strike. Miss Louise Vickers, daughter of Alonzo Vickers, chief justice of the supreme court, was one of the teachers. Miss Vickers said: "We do not strike in a spirit of malice, but because of the heat."

LATHAM'S NARROW ESCAPE

While Making a Sharp Turn His Machine Tipped Over and Was Wrecked.

London, June 6.—Hubert Latham, aviator, had a narrow escape from a serious accident while giving an exhibition on the Brooklands grounds yesterday. He undertook to make a sharp turn, but did it too quickly and the machine turned and fell rapidly.

Latham succeeded in extricating himself from the machine and dropped on the roof of a shed unharmed. The machine crashed to the ground and was completely wrecked.

MARKET REPORT

New York Provision Market.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 99 1/2c, elevator. CORN—No. 2, f. o. b., 61 1/4c.

OATS—Standard, 44c. PORK—Mess, \$17.75 @ 18.25.

BUTTER—Creamery specials, 22 1/2 @ 23c do, extras, 21 1/2 @ 22c; factory stock, current make, 17 1/4c.

CHEESE—State, fancy, special, 19 1/2c.

EGGS—State and Pennsylvania 19 @ 22c.

POTATOES—Bermuda, new, No. 1, per bu., \$5.00 @ 5.50; state, in bulk, \$1.75 @ 2.12.

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